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Attention: Abhijit Bagde

RE: MTC TIP Revision 2011-05 – Amendment

Dear Mr. Aljabiry:

Please be advised that MTC recently made several changes to the 2011 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). TIP Amendment 11-05 revises 127 projects with a net increase in funding of \$218.9 million. Among other changes, the revision:

- Amends in five new exempt projects into the TIP for approximately \$3.9 million—that were originally listed under the County Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Grouped Listing REG090071. The grouped listing is being deleted as part of this amendment;
- Amends in a new exempt project funded with TIGER II funds of approximately \$2 million: Oakland Army Base Infrastructure Master Plan (ALA110046);
- Updates the name, scope and the cost of Iron Horse Trail, Tri-Valley Transit Connector to East Bay Green Transportation Initiative (ALA110011) and adds \$7.9 million in TIGER II funds and \$7 million in Other Local funds;
- Updates the back-up lists and increases the costs for the following Caltrans managed Grouped Listings:
 - SHOPP - Roadway Preservation (MTC050009) by \$82.8 million
 - SHOPP - Collision Reduction (MTC050011) by \$73.9 million
 - SHOPP - Emergency Response (REG070001) by \$15.8 million
 - SHOPP - Mandates (VAR991003) by \$22.9 million
 - SHOPP - Bridge Rehab and Reconstruction (VAR991005) by \$29.4 million
 - Highway Bridge Program for Local Bridges (VAR991007) by \$159.8 million
- Deletes four duplicate projects from the TIP: Port of Oakland 7th Street Grade Separation (ALA070023 - \$180.2 million); City of Napa - Freeway Drive/Golden Gate CIR Project. (NAP090015 - \$793,000); Freeway Drive/Golden Gate Drive Pavement Rehab (NAP11005 - \$793,000) and Sunnyvale Ave/Old San Francisco Rd Intersection (SCL110011 - \$835,000).

The modifications made pursuant to this revision do not require a new regional emissions analysis because the projects were found to conform as a part of a previous analysis, pursuant to the transportation conformity provisions found in 40 CFR Part 93 section 122(g). MTC's 2011 TIP, including Revision No.11-05, was developed through a continuing, cooperative, comprehensive transportation planning process in accordance with 23 U.S.C. §134 and 49 U.S.C. Chapter 53 and MTC's Public Participation Plan.

TIP financial constraint documentation submitted with this revision shows that MTC's TIP is financially constrained as required by the federal surface transportation programs authorizing legislation and statewide and metropolitan planning and programming regulations.

MTC's 2011 TIP, as revised with TIP Revision No.11-05, remains in conformity with the applicable State Implementation Plan (SIP) for air quality and the revision does not interfere with the timely implementation of the Transportation Control Measures contained in the State Implementation Plan (SIP).

The revised TIP entries and the updated fiscal constraint documentation have been emailed to your staff and have been posted at MTC's TIP website at: <http://www.mtc.ca.gov/funding/tip/>. If you have any questions regarding this revision, please contact Sri Srinivasan of my staff at (510) 817-5793.

Sincerely,



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